...: (व्यवधान)... मैं इसलिए निवेदन कर रहा था कि सारे मामले पर चर्चा हो जाए। इस क्वैश्चन को मैं पोस्टपोन करता हूं और इसके ऊपर चर्चा होगी ...(व्यवधान)... क्वैश्चन ऑवर खत्म हुआ ... (व्यवधान)... मेरी सुनिए, अगर इसके ऊपर चर्चा करना चाहें ...(व्यवधान)...

रेल मंत्री (श्री लालू प्रसाद): महोदय, ये पाकिस्तान से संबंध खराब करना चाहते हैं। ...(व्यवधान)...

प्रो॰ राम देव भंडारी: महोदय, ये नहीं चाहते कि पाकिस्तान और हिन्दुस्तान के संबंध सुधरें।...(व्यवधान)...ये नहीं चाहते कि पाकिस्तान से हिंदुस्तान के संबंध सुधरें।

श्री सभापति: सदन की कार्यवाही 12.30 बजे तक के लिए स्थगित की जाती है।

The House then adjourned at fifty-six minutes past eleven of the Clock.

The House reassembled at Thirty minutes past twelve of the clock.

[MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN in the Chair.]

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

New band of airwaves to operators

*222. DR. M.A.M. RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to allocate a new band of airwaves (3 G applications) to operators;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether some operators have requested to allocate spectrum in the new band of airwaves known as PCS 1900 which has been opposed by other operators;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the reasons advanced by the opposing operators?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI DAYANIDHI MARAN): (a) No, Sir. The provision already exists in the National Frequency Allocation Plan 2002 (NFAP 2002) for IMT-2000 (3G) applications in the 2GHz band.

(b) Not applicable.

(c) to (e) Request for allocation of Spectrum in the frequency band known as PCS 1900 has been received for CDMA based systems. Other operators have advanced the reason that simultaneous use of both IMT-2000 (3G) and CDMA systems in PCS 1900 band in the same area would cause harmful interference.

Call charges by different service providers

*223. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:
SHRI R.K. ANAND:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of cellular and WLL service providers in different parts of the country; and

(b) whether Government have any plan to advise the Regulatory Authority to introduce a system so that rates chargeable by different service providers are more understandable to the ordinary consumer?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI DAYANIDHI MARAN): (a) List of Access (Cellular